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In re Application of:

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For: A CATHODE RAY TUBE AND IMAGE DISPLAY APPARATUS USING THE SAME

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Sir:

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §1.56, the attention of the Patent and Trademark Office is hereby directed to the references listed on the attached Form PTO-1449. Copies of each of the references listed on Form PTO-1449 are attached.

JP '672; JP '802; JP '256; JP '740; JP '899; JP '770; JP '334 and JP '061 were cited in the International Search Report filed in the above application on March 7, 2002.

JP '459 is cited in the specification at page 4.

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